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PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 13768.421.2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
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	James T. Pinkerton, et al.	)
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Serial No.:	10/666,086	) Art Unit
		) 2157
Filed:	September 19, 2003	)
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Conf. No.:	8991	)
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For:	MULTIPLE OFFLOAD OF NETWORK STATE	)
	OBJECTS WITH SUPPORT FOR FAILOVER	)
	EVENTS	)
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Examiner:	Uzma Alam	)
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Customer No.:	47973	)

PETITION FOR THREE (3) THREE MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

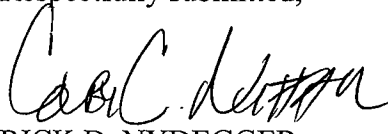
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated October 22, 2007 (paper no. 20071011), be extended for three (3) months until April 21, 2008.

Payment in the amount of \$1,050.00 using the Credit Card payment option in E-Filer with RAM will be used to cover the payment of the fees with respect to this Three (3) Months Extension of Time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick D. Nydegger", written over the printed name.

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